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The purpose of this E-mail memorandum is to notify staff that, effective immediately, Tarkio Academy has been removed from voluntary intake suspension and may resume intake of new residents. Tarkio Academy was placed on voluntary intake suspension on March 23, 2004 due to the need to address safety concerns and licensing issues. Tarkio Academy has worked with its corporate office and the Residential Program Unit (RPU) to review these issues and concerns and has cooperated with RPU to bring its programs, policies and procedures into compliance with Residential Child Care Agency rules.

Please feel free to contact [Fred Proebsting](#), State Supervisor, Residential Program Unit, at 573-751-4954 if you have any questions or comments regarding this matter.

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